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LOK SABHA

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SAFETY OF PEASANTS INTEREST
MAHBOOB ZAHEDI

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether multinationals have been taking agricultural lands from ordinary peasants on lease, possessing Government Khas lands and making investment for fetching higher profit through cultivation of horticulture, livestock farming, producing seeds and fisheries; and

(b) if so, the steps taken to save the peasants from such acts of multinationals?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI HUKUMDEO NARAYAN YADAV)

(a) & (b): The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.